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SUBJ PARTIAL LIFTING OF HOLD ON POLISH GRAIN PURCHASES  
IN US

1. THE PRESIDENT PARTIALLY LIFTED OUR SEPTEMBER 10  
REQUEST TO POLES TO WITHHOLD ALL GRAIN PURCHASES IN US.  
WITHIN HOURS OF RELEASE OF OCTOBER CROP REPORTS TH S FRIDAY,  
THE PRESIDENT ANNOUNCED "I HAVE TODAY SAID POLAND CAN  
RESUME PURCHASES." THE MORATORIUM ON SOVIET PURCHASES WAS  
NOT LIFTED BY THIS ACTION.

2. SALES TO POLAND "WOULD BE SPREAD OUT OVER A PERIOD OF  
TIME," ACCORDING TO THE PRESIDENT. WE UNDERSTAND THIS  
ACTION WILL PERMIT THE POLES TO PURCHASE NEEDED FEED  
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GRAINS.

3. THE PRESIDENT CALLED THE US AGRICULTURAL FIGURES "AN EXCELLENT CROP FORECAST," AND SAID THEY LED HIM TO LIFT THE HOLD ON THE POLISH PURCHASES. THE AGRICULTURE DEPT'S OCTOBER REPORT RAISED PRODUCTION ESTIMATES ON CORN, WHEAT AND SOYABEANS. PRESIDENT FORD HAD SAID THURSDAY NIGHT THAT "THERE WILL BE SOME ANNOUNCEMENTS AS TO FURTHER SALES TO ONE OR MORE COUNTRIES" FOLLOWING THE

FRIDAY REPORT.

4. USDA AND STATE HAVE INFORMED POLISH EMBASSY HERE. KISSINGER UNQTE KISSINGER

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